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TAGS: ETRD, GATT, SZ

SUBJECT: GATT:MTN: NON-TARIFF BARRIERS

1. EMBASSY SHOULD INFORM DUNKEL, OFFICER IN CHARGE
GATT AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF COMMERCE, THAT US WILLING TO
MEET INFORMALLY CONCERNING "TECHNICAL ACCURACY OF
RECIPROCAL NTB NOTIFICATIONS." IN ORDER TO USE U.S.
EXPERTISE, WE SUGGEST THAT BILATERAL MEETING BE HELD IN
GENEVA AT TIME WHEN WASHINGTON REPRESENTATIVES FAMILIAR
WITH DETAILS OF NTBS ARE THERE FOR MULTILATERAL MEETING
SUCH AS TNC SUBGROUP 3(B). NO SUCH MEETING CURRENTLY
SCHEDULED BUT WE WILL KEEP EMBASSY INFORMED SO IT CAN BE
IN TOUCH WITH DUNKEL. WHEN BILATERAL SCHEDULED, EMBASSY
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OFFICER ATTENDANCE WOULD BE WELCOME.

2. FYI FOR EMBASSY BACKGROUND INFORMATION, WE HAVE
FOUND THAT SIMILAR BILATERAL DISCUSSIONS WITH AUSTRALIA,
JAPAN, AND GHANA, HELD AT THEIR REQUEST, WERE OF MINIMAL
NOTIFICATIONS AT THIS TIME ALSO OF DOUBTFUL VALUE, WE
CANNOT JUSTIFY SENDING SEPARATE TEAM FOR THIS PURPOSE.
AT SAME TIME, WE DO NOT WISH TO DISCOURAGE INITIATIVES
LEADING TO NEGOTIATIONS IN AREA OF NTBS. END FYI INGERSOLL

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